

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

re the Application of

Tsutomu ABE

Group Art Unit: 2623

09/892,884 Application No.:

Examiner:

K. Siangchin

Docket No.: 109967

Filed: June 28, 2001

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR IMAGE

MAIL STOP RCE

PROCESSING OF HAND-WRITTEN CHARACTERS USING CODED STRUCTURED LIGHT AND TIME

SERIES FRAME CAPTURE (as amended)

LARGE ENTITY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.114

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.114, Applicant hereby requests continued Sir: examination.

Applicant further requests entry and consideration of the submission filed April 21, 2005.

The above-identified application was filed on or after June 8, 1995. Thus, entry is proper

Attached hereto is our check no. $\underline{166762}$ in the amount of \boxtimes \$790.00 as payment of the fees under 37 CFR §1.114(d). set forth in 37 CFR §1.17(e). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 15-0461. Two duplicate copies of this page are enclosed.

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